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NEW QUARTERS

WHO? WHERE?

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Warren & Durfee

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October 21 1874—d.

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For Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Chill Fever, Remittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical or Bilious Fever, &c., and indeed all the affections which arise from malarious, marsh, or miasmatic poisons

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I. M. GILL,
F. WEDEL.

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The grocery business will be continued at the old stand on East Eldorado street, by the undersigned, who will be pleased to receive a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on the late firm.

April 17 1875—d1w F. WEDEL.

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Trains depart from Decatur as follows.

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST

No 1 Through Express	[illegible]
" 11 St Louis Express	1 [illegible] p m
" 7 Kansas City Express	7 [illegible] p m

GOING EAST

No 2 Lightning Express	11 [illegible] p m
" 8 Atlantic	1 [illegible] p m
" 6 New York Fast Line	1 [illegible] p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets.

Going east	[illegible]	7 [illegible] p m
Going west	2 [illegible] p m	11 [illegible] p m

PEKIN DIVISION:

DEPART

No 21 Accommodation	6 00 a m
" 23 Mail	2 00 p m

ARRIVE

No 22 Accommodation	1 00 p m
" 24 Mail	11 [illegible] a m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART

No 11 Through Express	3 [illegible] a m
" Fast Express	1 00 p m
" Accommodation	[illegible] a m

ARRIVE

No 12 Lightning Express	[illegible] p m
" 14 Atlantic	1 [illegible] p m
" 16 Accommodation	1 20 p m

R. ANDREWS Gen'l Sup't Toledo
W. L. MALCOLM Gen'l Pass'r Ag't Toledo
K. HARWOOD Ticket Agent Decatur

THROUGH TIME BY THE

I. B. & W ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS	No 2	No 4	No 6
Lv Decatur			2 30 p m
Ar Monticello			[illegible]
" Champaign			[illegible]
" Chicago			7 [illegible] a m
Lv Champaign	[illegible] a m	1 [illegible] p m	11 [illegible] p m
Ar Danville	[illegible] a m	2 [illegible] p m	[illegible] a m
P. W. & W. R'y			
Lv Decatur		[illegible] p m	11 30 p m
" Tolono		[illegible] p m	12 [illegible] a m
Ar Danville		[illegible] p m	2 00 a m
I. B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	[illegible] a m	[illegible] p m	2 00 a m
Ar Indianapolis	[illegible] a m	[illegible] p m	[illegible] a m
Cincinnati		10 [illegible] p m	12 [illegible] p m
Dayton		11 [illegible] p m	[illegible] p m
Columbus	11 [illegible] p m	10 [illegible] a m	[illegible] p m
Zanesville	[illegible] a m		
Wheeling	5 00 a m		
Washington	9 10 p m	[illegible] p m	12 [illegible] p m
Baltimore	[illegible] p m	10 20 [illegible]	1 [illegible] p m
Pittsburg	[illegible] a m	12 [illegible] p m	2 [illegible] a m
Harrisburg	[illegible] p m	11 [illegible] p m	[illegible] p m
Philadelphia	7 50 p m	3 10 a m	[illegible] p m
New York	10 [illegible] p m	6 [illegible] a m	[illegible] p m
Crestline		[illegible] a m	
Cleveland		7 10 a m	
Buffalo		[illegible] p m	
Boston		[illegible] a m	
Louisville		12 night	[illegible] p m
Nashville		[illegible] a m	

No. 6 via P. W. & W. Ry. will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

Terre Haute and Indianapolis

DEPART

Atlantic Express	[illegible] a m
N. Y. Fast Line	[illegible] p m
	11 [illegible] p m

For Peoria

DEPART

	[illegible] a m
Accommodation	11 50 a m
Day Express	[illegible] p m

C. T. FOLLETT, Gen Ticket Ag't
H. W. HIBBARD, Gen. Fr'ht Ag't
[illegible] Gen Sup't
TERRE HAUTE - - - INDIANA
C. H. BROWN Local Fr't & T'k't Ag't, Decatur Ills
Feb 9 1875

I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

On and after Monday, May 21 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur daily, except Sunday as follows

GOING EAST

Passenger	1 [illegible] p m
Freight and Accommodation	[illegible] a m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR

Passenger	11 15 a m
Freight and Accommodation	[illegible] p m

R. C. MOORE Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola
C. W. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Ag't, Tuscola
GEO. F. [illegible] Agent, Decatur

Illinois Central R. R

Trains leave Decatur

GOING NORTH

Passenger	[illegible] A M Sundays excepted
Freight	[illegible] A M
" & accom	1 25 P M

GOING SOUTH

Passenger	8 20 P M Sundays excepted
Freight	9 10 A M
" & accom	2 05 P M

All trains carry passengers

A. MITCHELL Gen'l Sup't Chicago
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For East on I. M. R. R	8 45 A M
" East and West, on T. W. & W	1 00 P M
" Chicago and St. Louis	1 00 "
" East and West, on P. L. & D and I. & I. C	1 00 "
" South, on Ill. Cent	1 30 "
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W	1 30 "
" West on I. M. R. R	4 15 "
" North & East of Lafayette	7 30 "
" Chicago & St. Louis direct	7 30 "

MAILS ARRIVE

From Chicago & St. Louis direct	5 30 A M
" North, South & East of Lafayette	9 30 "
" Mattoon and Sullivan	9 30 "
" West on I. M. R. R	9 30 "
" East and West, on P. L. & D and I. & I. C	12 00 M
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W	12 00 M
" East & Chicago on T. W. & W	1 15 P M
" East on I. M. R. R.	[illegible]
" West & St Louis, on T. W. & W	1 15 "

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster

HOW I LOST MY HEART.

To tell you now just how I lost it,
Oh, that were a difficult task,
How the thing got away on that autumn day,
I never stopped to ask.
Perhaps 'twas a glance that did it,
A close, warm grasp, or a gentle clasp,
That captured it then and there.

You see, there are things you can govern,
But hearts have a way of their own
Like birds they fly, and you can't tell why—
You only miss them when gone
And why I don't tell the story
If the reason you really must learn,
Is, though life grew bright with a rosy light,
Yet I won no heart in return

Somebody's eyes were gentle and kind,
And his voice was gentle and low,
But the heart I wanted was given away
Ever so long ago
And so while I sit up a lonely life
With a cat and a cup of tea,
Somebody's arm is round his wife,
And her baby is on his knee

And the loss I met with results in this,
That mine is a lonely part
You can't for your life make a loving wife
Of a woman without a heart
Another head rests on the manly breast
That I wanted to shelter me,
Some other fair face has won my place
So no man's wife I'll be.

But compensation's a law of life
And though trials the gods will send,
I've no one to scold when his beefsteak's cold,
And no small stockings to mend
So the love that is lost I never regret
When I think what my troubles might be
When dinner is late I smile at Fate
And nobody storms at me.

—*Harper's Bazar*

STORY OF A LIGHTNING-ROD PEDDLER.

He drove his team close up to the fence, got down and rapped at the door. The widow Gilkens opened it, when he said

"Mrs Gilkens I am cognizant of the circumstances by which you are at present surrounded, left as you are, to trudge down the journey of life through a cold and heartless world—no longer sustained and encouraged by the noble one to whom you gave the treasures of your heart's affection, and bowed down by the manifold cares and responsibilities incidental to the rearing of eight small children on forty acres of subcarboniferous limestone land, yet, Mrs Gilkens, you are aware that the season is now approaching when dark, dismal, dangerous clouds at frequent intervals scan the canopy of heaven, and when zigzag streaks of electricity dart promiscuously hither and thither, rendering this habitation unsafe for yourself and those dear little ones—hence, therefore, let me sell you a copper wire, silver tipped and highly magnetic lightning-rod."

The woman staggered back a few paces and yelled "Narcis! unfasten old Cronch!"

In another instant, a savage bull dog came darting round the corner of the house with bristles up, thirsting for gore. The dog had already mangled a machine agent, and a patent soap man, and was held in great esteem by the better class of citizens for his courage and service, but when his eye met the hard penetrating gaze of Mr Parsons, his chops fell, and he slunked off, and hid in the currant bushes. Then the man said

"My dear lady, you seem to be a little excited. Now, if you will allow me to explain the probable inestimable ——"

"Durn ye, I know something that will start ye," said Mrs Gilkens as she reached under some bed clothing, and brought forth a horse pistol, but, owing to the shattered condition of her nerves her aim was unsteady, and the charge of buckshot missed, save where a few scattered ones struck his cheek and glanced off. A hard, metallic smile spread over his countenance, as he leaned his shoulder against the door frame, and again commenced

"My dear madame, such spasmodic manifestations of your disinclination to make a judicious investment of a few paltry dollars——"

"Hi oo!" shrieked the widow, and collapsed into a kind of jerking swoon, and before she had recovered, a highly magnetic lightning rod-decorated her humble domicile, and Parsons had the blank note filled out, already for her signature.—*Madison, Ind. Courier*

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Has resumed the practice of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

Dentist, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1873—d3mos*

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

Attorney at Law.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

H. L. ODOR E. R. ELDRIDGE

ODOR & ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE.—Over Nowell & Hammer's grocery store. July 1 1874 d1y

EDWIN PARK,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law, and Notary Public. Office over Millikin's Bank. June19,'74-tf.

C. C. McComas,

Attorney at Law and States Attorney for Macon county. Office—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill. Dec 11, 1873-dawtf

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

OFFICE. Over Quinlan's Carpet Store, east Main Street [Apr. 1-dtf.

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BUNN & BROWN,

Attorneys and Counsellors at law, Decatur, Ill. Office over Warren & Durfee's real estate office, southeast corner of East Main and Water Sts. Jan. 26, 1875 dawtf

DR. H. C. DAWKINS,

Dentist, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [illegible]

DR. P. B. SPARKS,

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

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OFFICE.—Over the new Post Office. Residence—No. 8 West Main street. April 21, 1874—d6m*

A. T. HILL

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OFFICE.—In Decatur National Bank. March 12 1875 dtf.

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The crystal spectacles now offered to the public are warranted superior to all others in the market. The glasses being manufactured in Mo[illegible] Pebble France for our trade only, and claimed by all scientific men that for clearness and distinctness of vision they have no equal. We warrant every pair to last for many years without change, always remaining clear and brilliant. They are mounted in Gold, Silver, Shell, Rubber and Steel frames. For sale by our Agents only

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Look for Trade-Mark. No peddlers employed. [illegible]

Executor's Notice.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Patrick Malloy deceased late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur on Monday the 12th day of July A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

FRANCIS KELLEY Executor

May 20, 1875—w3w

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday, Evening May 24.

THE New York Legislature adjourned *sine die* on Saturday last, after a session of nearly five months. It was Democratic of the stamp of our Twenty-ninth General Assembly of this State, and the people feel greatly relieved to have "the curse removed."

THE liquor dealers of New York city are "up in arms" against the Democratic leaders, who promised them, at last fall's election, that they would secure for them through the legislature a very "easy" excise law. Not having kept their promise, the leaders are being savagely denounced.

BISHOP MCQUAID, of the Catholic Church, lectured in Cincinnati recently, and during his lecture took occasion to denounce the public school system in the most bitter terms, and asserted the duty of all Catholics to oppose the schools by their votes and by all the power at their command. He declared that this school question was a political issue, and must be fought out at the polls.

THE *Inter-Ocean* of Friday published the Cook county delinquent tax list for the past year. This document covers 144 pages, or 874 columns of that paper. Judging from the length of this list the most of the real estate owned in Cook county is advertised for sale. The Chicago papers, however, explain that this is not the result of inability to pay the taxes on the part of the owners, but is owing to the fact that they can use the money in such a way as to make it profitable to allow the property to be advertised. This undoubtedly is the fact, and a large proportion of their delinquent taxes will be paid before the day of sale arrives.

THE Supreme Court of Louisiana has recently rendered a decision which will be of interest to druggists. While the yellow fever was raging in New Orleans, a physician gave a prescription for a lady patient, one ingredient of which was camphor water. In putting up the prescription the druggist's clerk substituted spirits of camphor for the camphor water, the result of which was to kill the patient. The husband brought suit against the druggist and obtained a verdict of $2,500. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court, and that court has decided that druggists are responsible for the acts of their clerks, and the judgment of the lower court was confirmed.

HOLDERS of Erie Railroad stock do not appear to be particularly happy just now. President Jewett reports that the earnings of the road fall short of its requirements at the rate of $3,000,000 yearly, and the funded debt has increased at the rate of $5,000,000 a year for the last four years, without any corresponding increase in equipment or other property. In view of the probable inability of the company to meet the interest on the bonds sold in Europe last year, it was resolved to raise the money by assessment on the stock. The company is said to have realized only about forty cents on the dollar on its last seven per cent. bonds sold in Europe. It is reported that the employes have not been paid since March last.

ALL doubt about this Supervisor's District has at last been settled by the resignation of D. W. Munn and the appointment of Col A. C. Matthews, of Pike county, in this State, whose commission was signed on Saturday last.—Mr. Munn's resignation, which was presented some days ago, is as follows:

To His Excellency U. S. Grant, President of the United States.

I have the honor to hereby tender my resignation as Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the District of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. For the period of my official career, now three and a half years, I have endeavored faithfully to do my whole duty. There have recently been sent to my district without my knowledge other officers to make seizures on account of alleged frauds against the Government. This seems to me to indicate that I have lost the confidence of the Secretary of the Treasury, to which I am entitled. I am assured by officers of the Treasury Department, and positively informed by the officers who recently made the seizures in my district, that they have seen or heard nothing against my integrity as an officer or honor as a man. Nevertheless, as I wish in no way to embarrass the Department I hereby respectfully tender my resignation, to take effect upon the appointment and qualification of my successor. Respectfully,

DANIEL W. MUNN.

Col. Matthews, we presume, will enter upon his duties at once. He is an experienced and careful revenue officer, and his appointment will give general satisfaction throughout the State.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—Geo. Alfred Townsend will assume a prominent position on the editorial staff of the *Times* to-morrow, and will probably become managing editor in a short time.

MRS. LINCOLN.

The announcement that Mrs. Lincoln would be sent to a private asylum at Batavia, Ill., was not correct, judging from the following, which we find in Saturday's Cincinnati *Enquirer*:

Dr. S. B. Beckwith, the chief proprietor of the private insane retreat at College Hill, known as the Sanitarium, received a letter from Mr. Robert Lincoln, of Chicago, yesterday, engaging apartments in the Sanitarium for his mother. The arrangements are all satisfactory, and Mrs. Lincoln will reach Cumminsville, via C., H. & D. road, Monday night, thence to be conducted in a coach to her future home in the Sanitarium.

MR. BEECHER ENJOINING A SHOW OF WAX FIGURES.

A singular incident occurred in Burlington, Ia., a week or two ago, which seems to have entirely escaped the notice of the newspapers. It is the more remarkable as its connection with the Brooklyn scandal entitles it to recognition as a sensational affair. It will be remembered that W. W. Cole, proprietor of Cole's New York and New Orleans Circus, conceived the brilliant idea of familiarizing the countrymen with the faces of the principals in the Brooklyn scandal. He therefore had wax figures made in New York representing the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, Mrs. Beecher, Theodore Tilton and Elizabeth. How good the likenesses are we don't know. It appears, however, that Mr. Cole's enterprise was understood in New York, and the figures were followed to Quincy by a special detective. When about to start on his summer tour, Mr. Cole was notified by Mr. Beecher's attorneys that legal steps would be taken to prevent the exhibition of himself and wife in wax. Mr. Cole concluded to disregard the announcement, and when the circus opened at Burlington Mr. Beecher was found there, too, in effigy. The day following, one J. W. Williams appeared in Burlington with a power of attorney from Mr. Beecher and obtained an injunction forbidding Mr. Cole's exhibiting Mr. and Mrs. Beecher in his circus. After a sharp legal fight the case was closed—the show case, that is—and the remainder of the exhibition allowed. A hearing is to be had in Burlington Tuesday. Meanwhile Williams threatens to enjoin Mr. Cole wherever he goes. Mr. Cole insists upon his right to exhibit the figures. It is an excellent advertisement for both parties, but the circus man is going to get the best of it.

THIS, from the Joliet *Sun*, is sensible:

Does a newspaper man carry the mark of Cain upon his brow that he is continually having the fact of his being a newspaper man thrown into his face on any and all occasions? Outside of business hours, any other business man is conceded the privilege of forgetting his occupation. But it is not conceded to the newspaper man. He is never given the credit of being a human being or of going to any place without a goulish idea to spread everything he sees before the public. He can't appear at a social gathering without being asked by some fool, "Come to take notes?"—which makes him feel just as flat as the question sounds. Such remarks are just as vulgar and in as bad taste as it would be to ask a grocer if the groceries for the supper came from his store. There is, it is true, a class of newspaper men who, as it were, always wear their business card in their hats and who take every occasion to get into some conspicuous position and make an ostentatious show of "taking notes"—which are probably never used. But this class is a very small one and is composed either of downright fools or people who are very fresh in the business. The former should be severely snubbed, and the latter judiciously ignored.

THERE seems to be no doubt that the grasshoppers are on their way eastward. Although they are very plentiful in Kansas, and have given the people a severe fright, they do not appear to be doing a good deal of damage, as they fly away as soon as their wings are grown. In the western counties of Missouri their ravages are quite destructive, although it is not yet possible to estimate the actual amount of injury they may inflict. Next year they may be expected in full force in the eastern counties of Missouri and in Illinois.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

THE New York *Bulletin* attributes the light shipment of wheat from the West to the East, at the present time, to the fact that winter wheat, since the reports of the injury to the growing crop became prevalent, has been gathered up by the "bulls" and is held in Western markets for the advance which they think is sure to come. The abundance of money at all the money centers has enabled them to borrow freely and to carry the stock forward into summer, when they expect to reap a new harvest from their hoarded grain. The locking up of this large amount of breadstuffs has contributed largely to the stagnation of business, and thus the abundance of money, instead of promoting a rapid return to prosperity, has aided, for the time being, in obstructing it.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Gen. Custer, who is in the city, says his expedition to the Black Hills will leave Fort Lincoln June 1st, and if the miners are going into the hills in as large numbers as represented in Western papers, it will probably take the whole summer to drive out and keep out intruders.

TELEGRAPHIC

3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

A BOSTON HORROR.

A Little Girl Murdered in Church.

THE LORDLY SIOUX GET ON THEIR EAR.

More about the Pennsylvania Fires.

THE GRASSHOPPERS AT KANSAS CITY.

Suicides, Accidents, and Other Cheerful Items.

NEW YORK, May 22.—At a meeting of Erie stockholders to-day, Mr. Brownell, Vice President of the stock exchange in the chair, resolutions were adopted, that if the company could not avoid paying interest on the bonds recently sold in Europe, and could not earn money to pay that interest, sound policy would require that money for that purpose should be raised by assessment on stock; that the Directors of the company be directed to open books of subscription at their office and invite the stockholders to voluntarily contribute blank dollars per share to prevent the company from going to protest, the preamble accompanying the resolutions: It appears from the report of President Jewett that the net earnings of the company fall short of its requirements by nearly $3,000,000 a year; that the funded debt has increased at the rate of at least $5,000,000 a year for the last four years, without any corresponding increase in equipment or other property of the company, and that for the last moneys borrowed in Europe, the company issued its 7 per cent. gold bonds at the rate of about 40 cents on the dollar, and in order to raise money to pay the June interest on these bonds, the company is about to hypothecate its only remaining assets, its coal lands, on terms which will inevitably involve their sacrifice at far less than their value; and, finally that adherence to this financial policy will most inevitably lead to bankruptcy.

It is rumored that a movement is on foot for a general strike of the Erie railroad employes. Inquiry at the company's depot in this city failed to confirm the rumor, but revealed the fact that the employes have not been paid since March.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Dan O'Leary, this morning at 1 o'clock, 32 minutes and 50 seconds, finished his 500 mile walk, making the distance in 2 hours, 28 minutes and 10 seconds less than the allotted time—156 hours. Fully 5,000 people visited the West Side Rink during the evening. A purse of $1,000 was presented the pedestrian by friends. During the walk O'Leary has made 1 mile in 7 minutes, 28 seconds; 50 miles in 9 consecutive hours, and 200 miles in less than 50 consecutive hours. He showed some signs of fatigue at the close of the walk, but he was by no means exhausted.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Seven Sioux Indians, including Red Cloud and Spotted Tail, to-day left the quarters provided them by the Commissioner at the Tremont House, and went to the Washington House. It is not known what action the Commissioner will take in the premises, but this step on the part of the Indians is considered a bold one. It is said the negotiations will not be accomplished so easily as the Governor anticipated.

TYRONE, PA., May 22.—Reports received last night stated that the fire was approaching Phillipsburg, and in order to save the town the burgess ordered the brush about the place to be set on fire. About 250 men were sent out to fight the flames at points from which danger was most feared.

Osceola is leveled to the ground, and the smoking debris is all that is left of a house. Neighboring towns are sending money and provisions to the relief of the unfortunate.

MAUCH CHUNK, PA., May 22.—A fire that has been raging in Curtin county for the past few days, has destroyed an immense amount of lumber and numerous dwelling houses and saw mills in Hickory Run and Mud Run regions. One lumberman has lost 3,000,000 feet of lumber. Men, women and children are vigorously fighting the flames day and night. Back of Weissport and Harryville the fire is rapidly spreading. The damage done to Curtin county will amount to more than $500,000.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—The horse disease made but little progress to-day, but five deaths occurred.

BOSTON, May 23.—A little girl aged 7 years was murdered this afternoon, her body being carried up in the tower and thrown in the loft. The child, accompanied by her aunt, was attending the Sunday school anniversary. On leaving the church, the aunt remained in the vestibule for a few minutes, and upon her starting home she missed the child, who had been standing by her side only a few minutes previous. Search was instantly made but in vain. About 4 o'clock cries were heard in the church tower, and on examining the tower the mangled body of the child was found near the scuttle, indicating that it had been carried up stairs and hastily thrown down, as her skull was found to be broken and her face terribly mangled.

Thomas Piper, sexton of the church, has been arrested on unmistakable evidence of his guilt. It has not been learned why or how she was enticed away.

ST. LOUIS, May 22.—The *Republican's* Kansas City special says the grasshoppers have penetrated the heart of the city, and are moving as a vast army, going north. Trenches are being dug and millions are slaughtered, but nothing can stop the red-legged pests in their march. Many drive them from the ground with water from the hydrants. Their depredations are becoming very serious, lawns being stripped of grass, and garden truck being destroyed. Nothing can be raised except in greenhouses.

YANKTON, May 22.—Lieut. Armstrong arrived to-night from Fort Randall, having in charge Charles E. Solis, the captured Black Hiller who refuses to take the parole. Solis was turned over to the United States Marshal and locked up. But the United States Attorney knows of no law which authorizes him to punish the offender, and is in a quandary what to do. Solis is plucky, and proposes to sue the Government for damages. The case will be acted upon Monday.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., May 23.—Otho S. Burns, aged 16, was drowned at 3 o'clock this afternoon, in a gravel pit near the Evansville & Crawfordsville railroad. He had gone in alone, being unaware of the depth of the water, which was fifteen feet, and was unable to swim. He had a rail in his hand, but it was insufficient to support his weight, and he sank and rose more than a dozen times. Another young man ran to him, but could not swim himself, and could not save him. Burns was book-keeper at his uncle's store. His parents live at Vermillion on the Vandalia line.

The infant of Jacob May was strangled last night, by a cat, in bed. Its mother awoke and found a cat in the room, and said to her husband to drive it out; but he supposed she was talking in a dream, and went to sleep; so that this morning it was found with the cat on its face, and strangled until it was black.

Yesterday evening, Capt. Bailey, of Paris, Ill., took a half ounce of laudanum, with the intention of committing suicide. He was given strong emetics but with no effect. All the doctors in town brought out their stomach-pumps, but could do no good; and the man is, now, probably dead. When asked why he did it, he replied, "None of your d—d business." He was a tanner by trade, and had a family.

LEXINGTON, KY., May 23.—A fire of some magnitude broke out here about two o'clock this morning in the livery stable of Davis & Adams. It spread with great rapidity, and it seemed at one time as though the whole town would be destroyed. A high wind was blowing at the time, and the flames spread rapidly, until the whole block between Short and Main streets, on Limestone street, was involved. It then took in the block on the other side of Limestone, spread along Short, and burned three houses on Main street. The fire department worked well, but as there was but one fire engine, its work was not very effective. But for the bucket brigades, half of Lexington would now be in ashes. The fire was got under control at about 6:30 o'clock. The total loss is about $100,000, and the insurance about $35,000.

QUINCY, May 22.—A few weeks ago a Mrs. Dr. Ingham and Dr. Smith, pretending to be cancer doctors were arrested on charge of procuring an abortion, a fœtus having been found in the vault on their premises. A young man passed at the same time as the party who procured the commission of the crime, but was released on turning State's evidence. The case was concluded to-day. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and sentenced each to eight years in the Penitentiary. The statute limits the punishment to 10 years.

Hall, who was so terribly beaten by the garroters, is slowly improving, and, contrary to first expectations, will get well. He has, however, not sufficiently recovered to give an account of the affair.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA., May 22.—From advices received here from a large number of principal towns in this State, the agent of the Associated Press is able to state, authoritatively, that there are no ravages in this State by grasshoppers, nor is any danger anticipated. The crops were never in better condition, or the prospect for an immense yield more auspicious. The dispatch sent from this city that the grasshoppers were devouring the crops is wholly devoid of the fact.

Grand Excursion.—$3.00 from Decatur and four days to return. Half rates at hotels. Leaves Decatur 12:30 p. m., Tuesday, June 1st, 1875. [21-d9t w1t

New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE of an order and decree of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, John E. Kinney, administrator of the estate of Daniel Gahman, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of the said deceased, at the April term of said court, to-wit: on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1875, I shall, on the

24th DAY OF JUNE NEXT,

between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate situate in said county and state, described as follows, to-wit: Lots seven (7) and eight (8), in block three (3), in Reed & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, excepting fifty (50) feet off of the north end thereof; also, lot one (1), in block six (6), in Durfee & King's Addition to the city of Decatur.

Said sale will be made on the following terms, to-wit: One-third cash down; one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months from date of sale, deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and be secured by notes with approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold.

Dated May 22, A. D. 1875.

JOHN E. KINNEY,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Gahman, deceased. [24-d4w

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TUESDAY, MAY 25!

Return of the World Famous Actress,

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Supported by Mr. Frank Lawlor's

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First time in this city of the Great Historical Drama,

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QUEEN OF FRANCE.

Marie Antoinette,........Mrs. F. W. LANDER.

ADMISSION—75 cents; Reserved Seats, $1; Gallery, 50 cents. Seats on sale at Abbott's jewelry store. [20-d5t

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PORTRAIT PAINTER!

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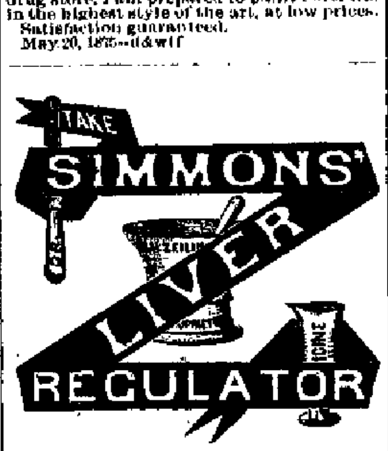

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For all diseases of the Liver, Stomach and Spleen.

THE SYMPTOMS of Liver Complaint are a bitter or bad taste in the mouth; Pain in the Back, Sides or Joints, often taken for Rheumatism; Sour Stomach; Loss of Appetite; Bowels alternately costive and lax; Headache; Loss of memory, with a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought to have been done; Debility, Low Spirits, a thick yellow appearance of the Skin and Eyes, a dry Cough often mistaken for Consumption.

Sometimes many of these symptoms attend the disease, at others very few; but the LIVER, the largest organ in the body, is generally the seat of the disease, and if not Regulated in time, great suffering, wretchedness and DEATH will ensue.

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May 19, 1874-3eod&wly

FOR SALE!

THE undersigned offers for Sale his residence, No. 17, South Green street, Decatur, two blocks south of the third ward school house. The lot contains one acre, the improvements on which are a one-story frame house, with four rooms, together with other outbuildings. The lot is well set in fruit trees, all in bearing.

For terms inquire on the premises.

RICHARD COSTALLO.

April 19, 1875—d&w3m*

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Uriah Hinson, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on MONDAY, the 21st day June, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

SOLOMON D. HINSON,
April 22, 1875-w6w Administrator.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Henry Price, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday the 21st day of June, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THOMAS M. PRICE, Executor.
Decatur, May 6, 1875—w6w

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No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.

March 29, 1875—daw1f.

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March 11, 1875-13m w1f

The Daily Republica

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..Straw hats are the most fashi just now.

..All old-time loafers hunt the side of buildings now-a-days.

..All kinds of pastry baked day by B. F. Stephens.

..It is somewhat hot and sultry It is rather uncommon to see the dry in half a day after so hard a we had yesterday.

..Best sugar-cured breakfast at Niedermyer's.

..The members of the high graduating class are hard at wo proving their essays, which will livered at the opera house on week.

..Get your perfumeries and dressing at W. C. Armstrong' keeps the best.

..Many of the denizens of th part of the city are talking serio suing the city for the damage d them by the water backing up in wells, cisterns and cellars.

..All the approved brands o pens, at I. J. Davis & Co.'s.

..Notwithstanding the storm day the Presbyterian Church had congregation in the morning, an evening thirty-three ventured the rain. Mr. Mackenzie p morning and evening.

..A full line of choice syrups grades of sugar, cheap, at H. F Bro.'s.

..May beetles were about thing on time this spring. The pests will get into your d through the smallest crack, and around the lamp, getting sing sionally. They are a source of noyance to all who try to study during the night.

..For safe and quick passage from the depot, order the St. 'bus.

..A trio of little Italians a this city on Saturday last, and h been discoursing some excelle to our citizens. Two of the g good singers, and they well u how to play an accompanime boys are apparently not more t or eight years of age, and t great musical talent.

..All kinds of choice spices, ell & Hammer's.

..Mr. Kuhn, a worthy Ger merly of Grand Tower, Mo., ha this city and opened out a mea one of the new buildings recen ed by R. N. Ham & Bro., o street. Mr. K. is an accom gentleman, and will doubtles his share of the patronage of zens.

..Go in and see Curtis & new stock. They sell ever their line cheap. Best spe use.

..Lewis & Milligan keep a f choice canned fruits.

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S. Einstein has just recei large lot of French Percales, a yard.

Collision.—This morning freight train of the Illinois M was coming over the track tral, a mile or two this side ran into a hand car that w upon the track, demolishi knocking the smoke-stack o by which the train was dr lly no one was hurt. It is the freight train was starte some point beyond Macon, notice being given at the o place.

A Large lot of Paca ceived, at S. 24-d1w

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..All old-time loafers hunt the shady side of buildings now-a-days.

..All kinds of pastry baked every day by B. F. Stephens.

..It is somewhat hot and sultry to-day. It is rather uncommon to see the roads dry in half a day after so hard a rain as we had yesterday

..Best sugar-cured breakfast bacon, at Niedermyer's.

..The members of the high school graduating class are hard at work improving their essays, which will be delivered at the opera house on Friday week

..Get your perfumeries and hair-dressing at W. C. Armstrong's. He keeps the best.

..Many of the denizens of the west part of the city are talking seriously of suing the city for the damage done to them by the water backing up into their wells, cisterns and cellars.

..All the approved brands of steel pens, at I. J. Davis & Co.'s.

..Notwithstanding the storm yesterday the Presbyterian Church had a good congregation in the morning, and in the evening thirty-three ventured through the rain. Mr. Mackenzie preached morning and evening.

..A full line of choice syrups, and all grades of sugar, cheap, at H. F. May & Bro.'s.

..May beetles were about the only thing on time this spring. These little pests will get into your dwellings through the smallest crack, and will buzz around the lamp, getting singed occasionally. They are a source of great annoyance to all who try to study or read during the night.

..For safe and quick passage to and from the depot, order the St. Nicholas 'bus.

..A trio of little Italians arrived in this city on Saturday last, and have since been discoursing some excellent music to our citizens. Two of the group are good singers, and they well understand how to play an accompaniment. The boys are apparently not more than seven or eight years of age, and they have great musical talent.

..All kinds of choice spices, at Newell & Hammer's.

..Mr Kuhn, a worthy German, formerly of Grand Tower, Mo., has come to this city and opened out a meat shop in one of the new buildings recently erected by R. N. Ham & Bro., on Prairie street. Mr. K. is an accommodating gentleman, and will doubtless receive his share of the patronage of our citizens.

..Go in and see Curtis & Righter's new stock. They sell everything in their line cheap. Best spectacles in use.

..Lewis & Milligan keep a full line of choice canned fruits.

..The workmen employed at Strebin & Co.'s marble works have just finished a handsome arched monument for Wm. Fagan, of Springfield, which is of Italian marble, finished off in the finest style. It contains about twenty inscriptions—Mr. Fagan, his wife, and some of his children, who have long been dead. It is about twelve feet in height and cost $800. The job shows workmanship of which any first-class shop might well feel proud.

..For salted and pickled fish, of superior quality, go to D. M. Barnett & Co.'s.

S. Einstein has just received another large lot of French Percales, at 12½ cents a yard. 24-d1w

Collision.—This morning as a "wild" freight train of the Illinois Midland road was coming over the track of the Central, a mile or two this side of Maroa, it ran into a hand car that was standing upon the track, demolishing it, and knocking the smoke-stack off the engine by which the train was drawn. Luckily no one was hurt. It is claimed that the freight train was started out from some point beyond Maroa without any notice being given at the office in that place.

A Large lot of Parasols, just received, at S. EINSTEIN'S.
24-d1w

ON TUESDAY, JUNE 1st, 1875,

An excursion train will run from Pekin to St. Louis, passing Decatur at 12:30 p. m., reaching St. Louis at 4:30 p. m. Fare from Decatur, $3.00. Returning, will leave St. Louis at 8:00 p. m., Wednesday, June 2d. Those wishing to remain a longer time in St. Louis can do so, as their tickets are good on any passenger train over the T., W. & W. until Saturday, June 5th. Tickets for sale at W. R. Abbott's jewelry store, No. 9 East Main street. [21-d9t w1t

Rev. Dr. Bulkley at the Baptist Church.—As indicated in our issue of Saturday, the pulpit of the Baptist church was filled yesterday morning by Rev. Dr. Bulkley, of Alton. In the evening no service was held on account of the threatening state of the weather.

The morning sermon was from words written in Phillipians, second chapter, 9th, 10th and 11th verses. The speaker first explained what he understood to be meant by the words in the text. "At the name of Jesus every knee shall bow," and also what he understood to be indicated by the words, "Of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth." The observations upon these points were eminently sensible, and were given in a highly interesting and entertaining manner.

The next point dwelt upon, and which was really the prominent thought in the sermon, was the exaltation of Christ, as set forth in the text. In the consideration of this part of the subject, the speaker indicated in what the exaltation consisted, and proceeded to say that Christ in his present relation to mankind could meet every human want.—These he designated as being five in number, and showed how the gospel under Christ is adapted to meet them all.

It would be impossible to give a synopsis of the discourse that would properly indicate its real merit. We can only say that it was able, prabtical, and eminently instructive.

We understand that Dr. Bulkley has engaged to fill the pulpit again next Sabbath in case Mr. Bonham does not return.

Masonic.—There will be a special convocation of Macon Chapter No. 21, R. A. M., to-morrow, (Tuesday) evening, at 7½ o'clock sharp. Work in the W. M. Degree. Visiting companions in good standing cordially invited

By order, A. A. MURRAY,
2d M. E. H. P.

Call at S. Einstein's for the best two-button Kid Gloves 24-d1w

Notice.—H. B. Durfee will leave for Texas on Tuesday, 25th inst. for the purpose of locating *Texas Land Warrants.*—He will give his personal attention to the selection of lands, and the survey of the same. Those having purchased and those desiring to purchase good lands at 35 *cents an acre* will please call at once and arrange with Mr. Durfee about locating the same.

WARREN & DURFEE,
Agents for the sale of Texas lands and warrants.

A Perilous Fall.—Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Hubbard Dill, living southeast of town, fell from the top to the bottom of her chamber stairs, hitting against the stove, cutting her face and head quite seriously, besides jarring her badly all over. It was thought at first that her injuries were of a serious character, and a messenger was despatched with all possible haste for Dr. Walston, who repaired to the scene of the accident as soon as practicable. Upon his arrival an examination of the cuts and abrasions disclosed the fact that no bones were broken, and the injuries, though somewhat painful, are thought not to be serious. The wonder is that the lady escaped from such a fall with her life. The accident was occasioned by a tack in the heel of her slipper catching in the carpet at the top of the stairs.

Mrs. F. W. Lander to-morrow evening, at the opera house. "Enough said"

Dr. Davies To-Night.—We bespeak for this gentleman a full house at his temperance lecture to-night at the court house. Knowing him to be a man of decided ability, we confident feel in saying that his lecture will interest all who hear it, whether they be friends or opponents of the temperance movement.

For a handsome Linen Suit, call at S. Einstein's. 24-d1w

Work Commenced.—This morning the work of tearing away the fences, etc., for the erection of the new St. Nicholas livery stable was commenced. A large part of the lumber and building material to be used in its construction has already been shaped, and hence the work can soon be completed. This stable, when finished, will be the finest in the city.

A Lively Horse Race took place at the Fair Grounds on Saturday afternoon. Although it had not been advertised, a large crowd repaired to the grounds to witness the races and lose or win money at betting. Only two entries were made—Wm. C. Dunnivan's gray "Buck-kneed Bill," and a bay filly belonging to Newton Bircham. At the start the gray showed himself to be the best runner.—He made long reaches, gathered himself quickly, and kept the lead of the filly all the way around, coming in, almost distancing his competitor.

Bircham stoutly maintains that his filly was sick, and hence could not do her best. This morning he arrangrd with Mr. Dunnivan for another race, to take place at the Fair Grounds, "two weeks from to-day—rain or shine." The purse for the winning horse is $20.

Lace Shawls.—We have just received a large lot of Lace Shawls on consignment, which we offer cheaper than ever sold in Decatur.
24-d1w S. EINSTEIN.

Boarding House.—The undersigned has taken possession of the house, at the corner of William and Church streets, known as the Trowbridge property, where she will keep a first-class boarding house, and accommodate guests by the day, week or meal, at reasonable rates.
may6-d3m MRS. C. W. WILLIAMS.

THE STORM OF YESTERDAY.

A Regular Deluge—Heavy Thunder—Antics of the Wind and Lightning.

At about three o'clock yesterday afternoon, a black cloud arose in the west, which was thoroughly charged with electricity, and as the sequel proved, was more than moderately moist, and as it moved eastward poured its contents of flame and flood upon the city. When the cloud first struck the town it might have been called a smart shower, but in a few moments the storm increased in fury, the cloud seeming to burst, and there was poured out such a torrent of hail and rain as is seldom seem. In less time than it takes to describe it the streets were flooded, and in some localities a light draft wherry would have floated in the highways. The hail-stones, many of which were as large as hickory nuts, cut the foliage upon the trees so that it fell, as after a heavy frost in autumn. Accompanying the rain and hail, and adding to their fury was a tremendous gale of wind, which blew down trees, leveled fences, and made everything tremble that stood in its way. So powerful was the wind that it lifted a large number of boards in the lumber yard of Mr. H. E. Foster, on Mason street, and carried them into the highway.—Plank, boards, and other building material lying loose at the new bagging factory, were scattered about promiscuously. But the wind and water were not alone in the work of destruction. A thunderbolt struck the new building of Mr. Thatcher, going up on North Water st. at the head of Mason, cracking the wall near the southeast corner, and shivering two of the window frames in the second story, so that they will have to be replaced by others. The lightning stroke shocked some persons in the immediate vicinity, rendering some of them nearly senseless for a few moments, but luckily no person was seriously injured. As the result of the flood a large number of cellars are full of water, and the pumping business is lively to-day.

In the building in which Mrs. Patterson (formerly Mrs. Dunning) has her millinery rooms, a window in the third story was left open, and the room over Mrs. Patterson's was completely flooded. Of course the water leaked through the floor into the room below, badly damaging the stock of millinery goods.

The probability is that bridges and culverts in this vicinity are more or less damaged, but to what extent is not known at this writing.

A stream of water passing to the east of Mueller's gunsmith shop, tore away part of the brick foundation under the sidewalk, and brought down loads of dirt. The foundation is, for the most part, entirely worthless, and will have to built anew. The accident entails a loss of $150 or $200.

In the west part of the city a little culvert which drains a large section of the city was overflowing for several hours, flooding all the low ground in its vicinity. At one time the water was three feet in depth in the alley between Prairie and Water streets. Considerable split-wood was carried away, and sidewalks were taken up and carried—in some in-stances 100 ft. out of their place.

Gardens were destroyed, cellars flooded, and many delicious preserves and canned fruits made worthless. More than one of the denizens of this locality were seen out paddling around on impromptu rafts in search of missing articles. One far-seeing young man opened up his stable doors and had his stalls cleaned as Hercules did the Augean stables.

The want of a more perfect drainage is never more keenly felt than just after such a flood. If the culverts and gulleys in the west part of the city are not soon seen after by the city council, we predict it will not be long before petitions are numerously circulated and signed.

BRIDGE BROKEN DOWN.

During the progress of the storm the south abutment of the iron wagon bridge near the Saint Louis railroad was entirely swept away, and that end of the bridge settled down to the water. It is thought that the iron work of the structure is so bent and warped that it will be difficult to raise it, and if it can be done at all the expense of repairs cannot be less than three thousand dollars.

We understand, also, that the culvert in the road near Wykoff's slaughter-house is washed away, so that travel on that road will have to be suspended until it is repaired

AMOUNT OF RAIN FALL.

The following figures furnished us by Dr. J. Stebbins King, shows the total of the rain fall during yesterday:

Rain fall from	3 to 3 30 a. m.,	.18 in
" " "	3.24 to 3.55 p. m.,	2.08 "
" " "	4.05 to 5 30 "	1.94 "
" " "	7.25 to 10:10 "	.49 "
Total rain fall for the day,		4.69 "

Circuit Court commenced this afternoon at 1 o'clock, Judge C. B. Smith, presiding. Upon a call of petit jurors only ten answered to their names. The list will be completed this afternoon and published to-morrow. The trial of James and Trusten Adams, for the murder of John Staupp, is set for to-morrow morning.

Bargains for Thirty Days, at Litsinber & Sutton's. Chromos and all kinds of pictures, baskets, and many fancy goods at cost. Picture frames, brackets, albums, &c., at greatly reduced prices.—Object to reduce our stock before the season of dust and flies. No. 17 East Main street. 19-dawtf

MARRIED.

On Thursday, May 20th, by Rev. N. M. Baker, MR. WILLIAM L. RIBEN and MISS LOUVENIA C. FOLEY.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Elder J. V. Beekman, of Maroa, is in town to-day.

Mr. O. McKenzie left to-day for Mt. Pulaski, with a stock of goods for C. J. Kern.

Rev. Fred. H. Wines, Secretary of the State Board of Public Charities, spent Sabbath in the city, as the guest of Rev. F. N. Ewing.

Among the guests registered at the St. Nicholas House yesterday are the following: [illegible] Louisville; [illegible] Gould, St. Louis; J. R. Smythe, do; T. L. Carrow, Chicago; Jas. A. Corbin, Cairo; Wm. H. Montgomery, city, E. S. Webb, Philadelphia; Jas. F. Ballard, Indianapolis; W. C. Wilkinson, St. Louis; W. W. Myers, Rochester, N. Y.; J. J. Williams, Chicago; F. W. Sheldon, do; R. Fischer, Bement; S. E. Smith, Cincinnati; Geo. Truscott, Charleston; S. B. Munson, Chicago; J. L. Reese, do; W. T. Dillehunt, county; T. O. Miller, Burlinton, Ia.; C. Strohl, Indianapolis; H. Hall, Philadelphia; S. P. Chesney, Jacksonville; A. Murphy, city; S. F. Pike, Sullivan; A. Jones, Pana; R. Richardson, Cleveland; O. J. Carpenter, Chicago.

Only $3.00 to Louis and four days to return, Tuesday, June 1st, 12:30 p. m., T., W. & W. [21-d9t w1t

Every Seven Years, physiologists say, the human body is entirely changed and renewed. Every moment of our lives, every part of our bodies is wearing out and being built up anew of fresh matter. This work is accomplished by the blood which goes through every part.—But if the blood becomes weak or vitiated, and does not perform its work properly, the *system is actually poisoned* by the worn out matter clogging the vital organs instead of leaving the body. For dyspepsia, biliousness, kidney, skin and liver troubles, fevers, and all diseases arising from vitiated blood, DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS are a sovereign remedy [23-d&w1m

V. Barber & Co. have received a full assortment of summer goods in the line of boots and shoes and are prepared to serve their customers with all styles and sizes at the lowest prices known in the market. Call and examine their stock and be satisfied.

NEW SPRING STYLES
—OF—
MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS
ALSO,
MADAME FOY'S CORSET,
THE JACQUELINE CORSET,
—AND—
A Job Lot of Corsets,
VERY CHEAP, at
Apr 17-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS

ST. LOUIS, May 22.—Judge Wickham, of the Circuit Court, on the petition of the counsel of Mayor Britton, granted a temporary injunction this afternoon, restraining the City Register from delivering to the City Council the ballot boxes used at the late election for Mayor. Argument will be heard before a full bench next week.

THANKS, "FROM THE DEPTHS OF THE HEART."

WELLINGTON, Lorain co., Ohio, August 24, 1874.
R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Your medicines, Golden Medical Discovery, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, have proved of the greatest service to me. Six months ago no one thought that I could possibly live long. I had a complication of diseases,—scrofula, manifesting itself in eruptions and great blothes on my head, that made such sores that I could not have my hair combed without causing me much suffering; also causing swollen glands, tonsils enlarged, enlarged or "thick neck," and large and numerous boils. I also suffered from a terrible chronic catarrh, and in fact I was so diseased that life was a burden to me. I had tried many doctors with no benefit. I finally procured one-half dozen bottles of your Golden Medical Discovery and one dozen Sage's Catarrh Remedy and commenced their use. At first I was badly discouraged, but after taking four bottles of the Discovery I began to improve, and when I had taken the remaining I was *well*. In addition to the use of Discovery I applied a solution of iodine to the goitre or thick neck, as you advise in pamphlet wrapping, and it entirely disappeared. Your Discovery is certainly the most wonderful blood medicine ever invented. I thank God and you from the depths of my heart, for the great good it has done me.

Very gratefully,
MRS L. CHAFFEE.

Most medicines which are advertised as blood purifiers and liver medicines contain either mercury, in some form, or potassium and iodine variously combined. All of these agents have strong tendency to break down the blood corpuscles, and debilitate and otherwise permanently injure the human system, and should therefore be discarded. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, on the other hand, being composed of the fluid extracts of native plants, barks and roots, will in no case produce injury, its effects being strengthening and curative only. Sarsaparilla, which used to enjoy quite a reputation as a blood purifier, is a remedy of thirty years age, and may well give place as it is doing, to the more positive and valuable vegetable alteratives which later medical investigation and discovery have brought to light. In Scrofula or King's Evil, White Swellings, Ulcers, Erysipelas, Swelled Neck, Goitre, Scrofulous Inflammations, Indolent Inflammation, Mercurial Affections, Old Sores, Eruptions of the Skin and Sore Eyes, as in all other blood diseases, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has shown its great remedial powers, curing the most obstinate and intractable cases.—Sold by all dealers in medicines.
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Great Popularity.—Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and True Flavoring Extracts, Nectarine, Rose, Lemon, etc., have been before the public many years, and have gained for themselves, on their own merits, an extensive sale. Their great popularity is mainly due to the scrupulous manner in which they are prepared, the using of the purest and best materials, with special reference to their healthfulness. We never tire of using them, for they are always the same. Articles in which they are used have no disagreeable odor or sickly taste, but are always enjoyable. dawlw

Just Received!—A car load of Furniture—all new. Also, a fine stock of Winkow Shades, Fringes, Picture Cords, etc. Bottom prices. At ASHBY'S,
may 20-dtf Opera Block.

All Ready.—Immense stock of boots and shoes, just received by Powers, Ferriss & Co., for spring trade—all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles—stock all in—biggest variety we ever had. dtf

Wanted.—Two good tailoresses to make custom work, to whom steady work and good wages will be given.—Apply in Central block, opposite Priest's hotel. G. GOETZ.
21-d6t

Boarders Wanted.—A number of boarders can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and good board, at No. 44 South Main street.
18 d1m MRS. C. MILLER

For Rent.—Dwelling house on West Prairie street; six rooms, good well, all in good condition. Terms reasonable. Apply to A. A. MURRAY.
4-dtf

L. A. Drake has just been putting in a new stock of Furniture at his old mattress stand, in Priest House Block. Parties can now be set up in house-furnishing goods, (all new), and at very low figures. Call in and be convinced.—Spring beds and mattresses still a specialty. 14 dtf

Cash Paid for Cast-off Clothing.—Also fine clothing repaired and scoured. Satisfaction guaranteed.
M. S. GOETZ,
Central Block, opposite Priest's Hotel
13-d1m

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

SODA WATER,
ICE CREAM,
LEMONADE,
SWEET CIDER,
At the old established Confectionery, 26 East Main street.
Meals at all hours. 8-dtf

Strawberry Festival.—The ladies of the Catholic Church will give a Strawberry Festival at the opera house on Wednesday evening, May 26th, at which there will be an abundance of ice cream, cake, strawberries and other refreshments. This being the first occasion of the kind this season there will be a large attendance. Admission 10 cents.
18-etd

Residence Lots for Sale.—The undersigned will now offer for sale lots in Resurvey of Block 8, Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, better known as the late residence of Dr. Read, deceased.—Any information in regard to the above lots can be had by calling on James A. Read, at the Banking House of Peddecord & Burrows.
May 17-d1m ELIZABETH READ.

For Rent.—Part of first and third floors, No. 26 Merchant street. [10-dtf

RETAIL MARKET.

Cucumbers, apiece	1½
Cauliflower per head	20a25
New Potatoes per peck	1.00
Peas, per peck	30
Pie plant, per bunch	2
Asparagus, per bunch	5
New Onions, per bunch	5
Spinach, per bunch	5
Beets, per pound	2
Turnips, per peck	20
Radishes, per bunch	2
Chickens, per dozen	3 00
Lettuce, per bunch	5
Beans, " peck	40
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	60
Apples, per bushel	2.00
Potatoes, " "	1 40
New Cabbage, per head	3@5
Cider, per gallon	50
Vinegar, " "	40
Eggs, " dozen	15
Butter, packed, per pound	25
" fresh, " "	30

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, May 24, 1875.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ .90
" White "	90
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	3.50
" red " "	3.00
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings, "	1.50
CORN MEAT—℔ bushel	.55
RYE—℔ bushel	.50
CORN—℔ bushel	.50@60
" shelled, per bush	60
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	15.00
OATS—℔ bushel	55
BUCKWHEAT—℔ bushel	80
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1,60@1,75
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	3.00
CLOVER SEED— "	7.00
BLUE GRASS— "	2.00
ORCHARD GRASS, "	3 00
REDTOP— "	2.50
HUNGARIAN	1 50
BEANS—℔ bushel	2.50
BUTTER—℔ ℔	20@25
EGGS—per doz.	10
LARD—℔ ℔	11
BACON—Sides	10@12
HAMS—sugar-cured	11
SHOULDERS—per ℔	8@10
HOGS—Live, per hundred	6.00
CATTLE— " " "	3,25@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " " sheared	3,70@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	1 25
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	12½
APPLES— " "	10
" Green ℔ bu	1.50
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	.06
" Salted cured	.7½
" Calf	.10
" Dry salt	12
" Dry Flint	15
SHEEP PELTS—	40@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	.50@.55
" Common, ℔ ℔	.35@40
TALLOW—Cake	6
" Barrel	7½

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Shawls, Cloaks, Lace and Cashmere Jackets, Ladies' Suits, Fancy, Black and Colored Silks and Alpacas,

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DECATUR, ILL., April 14, 1875—dawtf.

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FLANNELS,
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Woolen Hosiery,
For Men, Women and Children, made from Yarns of our own manufacture.

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April 21, 1875—dawtf

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OFFICE—At P. T. Locke's Music Store, No. 26 Merchant street, Decatur, Ills.
April 14-d1m

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned Executor of the estate of Samuel Newell, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of May, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.
R. A. NEWELL,
Decatur Apr 9-d4w Executor.

Lizzie P. James, M. D.,

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March 22, 1875-d1y

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This 1st day of April, A. D. 1875.

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Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF UNITED STATES, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS. } ss

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of William B. Brinton of the county of Douglas, State of Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
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" Oakland	11 24 "	11 [illegible] "
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" Zanesville	1 45 "	1 55 "
" Bellaire	4 50 "	5 15 "
" Wheeling	6 10 "	6 15 "
" Grafton	9 05 "	9 [illegible] "
" Oakland	11 24 "	11 36 "
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned Abraham W. Conklin, administrator of the estate of William F. Wheeler, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the April term, A. D. 1875, of said court, to wit: on the 20th day of April, 1875, I shall on the

FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-five (35), in township seventeen (17) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois. The south half of the south half of the south west quarter of the southwest quarter will be sold subject to the dower of Nettie Wheeler, widow of said William F. Wheeler, deceased, therein. Said sale will be made on the following terms, to wit:

One third cash down, one third in six months, and one third in twelve months from date of sale, deferred payment to bear interest at eight per cent. per annum, and to be secured by notes with approved personal security and a mortgage upon the premises sold.

ABRAHAM W. CONKLIN,
Administrator of the estate of William F. Wheeler, deceased.
Dated the [illegible] day of May, A. D. 1875.
May [illegible]—d4w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Tazewell county, Illinois, in favor of B. S. Prettyman and against The Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad Company, I have levied upon the following described property, being so much of the Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad as lies within the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit: The roadbed of said Railroad, together with the ties, bridges and iron rails thereon, and all depot buildings, tenements, side tracks, switches and other appurtenances thereto pertaining or in any way composing any part of the said Railroad now lying within the above described limits, taken as property of the said Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad Company, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Macon county, in said State, on 25th day of May, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 8th day of May, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Sheriff Macon County.
1-d3w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO EXECUTIONS TO me directed and delivered, to wit: one by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Charles Rueppele and Charles Ehlerman, partners under the firm name and style of Charles Rueppele & Co., and one by the clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Barbara Schoenle, and both against Michael K. Carroll, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot four [4], in block three [3] in Henry Prather's addition to Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Michael K. Carroll, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1875, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 8th day of May, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
May 1 d w Sheriff Macon County.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Douglas county, Illinois, in favor of Ellen Nightingale and against Amos F. Hickman, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit:

The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty one (21) in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois.

Taken as property of the said Amos F. Hickman, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Macon county, in said State, on the [illegible] day of May, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 5th day of May, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
May [illegible]—d4t Sheriff Macon County.

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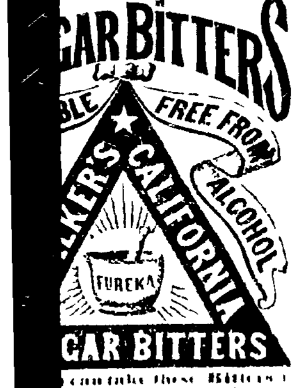

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I. M. GILL,
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MAIN LINE:

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No 1 Through Express	... m
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" Kansas City Express	7.. m

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No 2 Lightning Express	11 20 p m
4 Atlantic	1 30 p m
6 New York Fast Line	1 05 a m

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going east	1 15 a m	7 45 p m
Going west	2 15 p m	11 30 p m

PEKIN DIVISION:

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No 71 Accommodation	6 05 a m
" 73 Mail	2 05 p m

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No 72 Accommodation	1 00 p m
" 74 Mail	11 15 a m

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No 11 Through Express	1 03 a m
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Accommodation	1 a m

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" Chicago			7 30 a m
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Ar Danville	6 30 a m	2 30 p m	1 50 a m
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Lv Decatur		12 15 p m	11 30 p m
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Ar Danville		3 55 p m	2 00 a m
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Lv Danville	7 10 a m	3 00 p m	2 00 a m
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Passenger	11 15 a m
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Passenger	1 5 A M Sundays excepted
Freight	9 50 A M "
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Passenger	8 20 P M Sundays excepted
Freight	9 50 A M "
" & accom	2 07 P M "

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Atlantic Express	9 0 a m
N Y Fast Line	5 0 p m
	11 0 p m

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DEPART

	9 5 a m
Accommodation	11 50 a m
Day Express	8 55 p m

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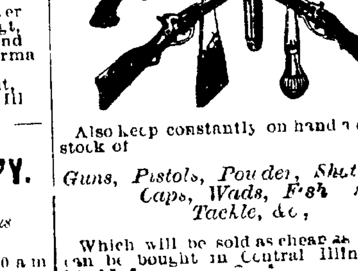

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Oh, that were a difficult task,
How the thing got away on that autumn day,
I never stopped to ask
Perhaps 'twas a glance that did it,
A close, warm grasp, or a gentle clasp,
That captured it then and there

You see, there are things you can govern,
But hearts have a way of their own
Like birds they fly, and you can't tell why—
You only miss them when gone
And why I don't tell the story
If the reason you really must learn,
Is, though life grew bright with a rosy light,
Yet I won no heart in return

Somebody's eyes were gentle and kind,
And his voice was gentle and low,
But the heart I wanted was given away
Ever so long ago
And so while I solace a lonely life
With a cat and a cup of tea,
Somebody's arm is round his wife
And her baby is on his knee

And the loss I met with results in this,
That mine is a lonely part
You can't for your life make a loving wife
Of a woman without a heart
Another head rests on the manly breast
That I wanted to shelter me,
Some other fair face has won my place
So no man's wife I'll be

But compensation's a law of life
And though trials the gods will send,
I've no one to scold when his beefsteak cold,
And no small stockings to mend
So the love that is lost I never regret
When I think what my troubles might be
When dinner is late I smile at Fate
And nobody storms at me
—*Harper's Bazar*

STORY OF A LIGHTNING-ROD PEDDLER

He drove his team close up to the fence, got down and rapped at the door. The widow Gilkens opened it, when he said

"Mrs Gilkens I am cognizant of the circumstances by which you are at present surrounded, left as you are, to trudge down the journey of life through a cold and heartless world—no longer sustained and encouraged by the noble one to whom you gave the treasures of your heart's affection, and bowed down by the manifold cares and responsibilities incidental to the rearing of eight small children on forty acres of subcarboniferous limestone land, yet, Mrs Gilkens, you are aware that the season is now approaching when dark, dismal, dangerous clouds at frequent intervals scan the canopy of heaven, and when zigzag streaks of electricity dart promiscuously hither and thither, rendering this habitation unsafe for yourself and those dear little ones—hence, therefore, let me sell you a copper wire, silver tipped and highly magnetic lightning-rod."

The woman staggered back a few paces and yelled "Narcis! unfasten old Cronch!"

In another instant, a savage bull dog came darting round the corner of the house with bristles up, thirsting for gore. The dog had already mangled a machine agent, and a patent soap man, and was held in great esteem by the better class of citizens for his courage and service, but when his eye met the hard penetrating gaze of Mr Parsons, his chops fell, and he slinked off, and hid in the currant bushes. Then the man said

"My dear lady, you seem to be a little excited. Now, if you will allow me to explain the probable inestimable ——"

"Durn ye, I know something that will start ye," said Mrs Gilkens as she reached under some bed clothing, and brought forth a horse pistol, but, owing to the shattered condition of her nerves her aim was unsteady, and the charge of buckshot missed, save where a few scattered ones struck his cheek and glanced off. A hard, metallic smile spread over his countenance, as he leaned his shoulder against the door frame, and again commenced

"My dear madame, such spasmodic, manifestations of your disinclination to make a judicious investment of a few paltry dollars——"

"Hi co!" shrieked the widow, and collapsed into a kind of jerking swoon, and before she had recovered, a highly magnetic lightning rod-decorated her humble domicile, and Parsons had the blank note filled out, already for her signature —*Madison, Ind Courier*

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Executor's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Patrick Malloy, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur on Monday the 12th day of July A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

FRANCIS KELLEY, Executor
May 20, 1875—w6w

The Daily Republican.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday, Evening May 24.

THE New York Legislature adjourned *sine die* on Saturday last, after a session of nearly five months. It was Democratic of the stamp of our Twenty-ninth General Assembly of this State, and the people feel greatly relieved to have "the curse removed."

THE liquor dealers of New York city are "up in arms" against the Democratic leaders, who promised them, at last fall's election, that they would secure for them through the legislature a very "easy" excise law. Not having kept their promise, the leaders are being savagely denounced.

BISHOP MCQUAID, of the Catholic Church, lectured in Cincinnati recently, and during his lecture took occasion to denounce the public school system in the most bitter terms, and asserted the duty of all Catholics to oppose the schools by their votes and by all the power at their command. He declared that this school question was a political issue, and must be fought out at the polls.

THE *Inter-Ocean* of Friday published the Cook county delinquent tax list for the past year. This document covers 144 pages, or 874 columns of that paper. Judging from the length of this list the most of the real estate owned in Cook county is advertised for sale. The Chicago papers, however, explain that this is not the result of inability to pay the taxes on the part of the owners, but is owing to the fact that they can use the money in such a way as to make it profitable to allow the property to be advertised. This undoubtedly is the fact, and a large proportion of their delinquent taxes will be paid before the day of sale arrives.

THE Supreme Court of Louisiana has recently rendered a decision which will be of interest to druggists. While the yellow fever was raging in New Orleans, a physician gave a prescription for a lady patient, one ingredient of which was camphor water. In putting up the prescription the druggist's clerk substituted spirits of camphor for the camphor water, the result of which was to kill the patient. The husband brought suit against the druggist and obtained a verdict of $2,500. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court, and that court has decided that druggists are responsible for the acts of their clerks, and the judgment of the lower court was confirmed.

HOLDERS of Erie Railroad stock do not appear to be particularly happy just now. President Jewett reports that the earnings of the road fall short of its requirements at the rate of $3,000,000 yearly, and the funded debt has increased at the rate of $5,000,000 a year for the last four years, without any corresponding increase in equipment or other property. In view of the probable inability of the company to meet the interest on the bonds sold in Europe last year, it was resolved to raise the money by assessment on the stock. The company is said to have realized only about forty cents on the dollar on its last seven per cent. bonds sold in Europe. It is reported that the employes have not been paid since March last.

ALL doubt about this Supervisor's District has at last been settled by the resignation of D. W. Munn and the appointment of Col A. C. Matthews, of Pike county, in this State, whose commission was signed on Saturday last.—Mr. Munn's resignation, which was presented some days ago, is as follows:

To His Excellency U. S. Grant, President of the United States:

I have the honor to hereby tender my resignation as Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the District of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. For the period of my official career, now three and a half years, I have endeavored faithfully to do my whole duty. There have recently been sent to my district without my knowledge other officers to make seizures on account of alleged frauds against the Government. This seems to me to indicate that I have lost the confidence of the Secretary of the Treasury, to which I am entitled. I am assured by officers of the Treasury Department, and positively informed by the officers who recently made the seizures in my district, that they have seen or heard nothing against my integrity as an officer or honor as a man. Nevertheless, as I wish in no way to embarrass the Department I hereby respectfully tender my resignation, to take effect upon the appointment and qualification of my successor. Respectfully,

DANIEL W. MUNN.

Col. Matthews, we presume, will enter upon his duties at once. He is an experienced and careful revenue officer, and his appointment will give general satisfaction throughout the State.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—Geo. Alfred Townsend will assume a prominent position on the editorial staff of the *Times* to morrow, and will probably become managing editor in a short time.

MRS. LINCOLN.

The announcement that Mrs. Lincoln would be sent to a private asylum at Batavia, Ill., was not correct, judging from the following, which we find in Saturday's Cincinnati *Enquirer*:

Dr. S. B. Beckwith, the chief proprietor of the private insane retreat at College Hill, known as the Sanitarium, received a letter from Mr. Robert Lincoln, of Chicago, yesterday, engaging apartments in the Sanitarium for his mother. The arrangements are all satisfactory, and Mrs. Lincoln will reach Cumminsville, via C., H. & D. road, Monday night, thence to be conducted in a coach to her future home in the Sanitarium.

MR. BEECHER ENJOINING A SHOW OF WAX FIGURES.

A singular incident occurred in Burlington, Ia., a week or two ago, which seems to have entirely escaped the notice of the newspapers. It is the more remarkable as its connection with the Brooklyn scandal entitles it to recognition as a sensational affair. It will be remembered that W. W. Cole, proprietor of Cole's New York and New Orleans Circus, conceived the brilliant idea of familiarizing the countrymen with the faces of the principals in the Brooklyn scandal. He therefore had wax figures made in New York representing the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, Mrs. Beecher, Theodore Tilton and Elizabeth. How good the likenesses are we don't know. It appears, however, that Mr. Cole's enterprise was understood in New York, and the figures were followed to Quincy by a special detective. When about to start on his summer tour, Mr. Cole was notified by Mr. Beecher's attorneys that legal steps would be taken to prevent the exhibition of himself and wife in wax. Mr. Cole concluded to disregard the announcement, and when the circus opened at Burlington Mr. Beecher was found there, too, in effigy. The day following, one J. W. Williams appeared in Burlington with a power of attorney from Mr. Beecher and obtained an injunction forbidding Mr. Cole's exhibiting Mr. and Mrs. Beecher in his circus. After a sharp legal fight the case was closed—the show case, that is—and the remainder of the exhibition allowed. A hearing is to be had in Burlington Tuesday. Meanwhile Williams threatens to enjoin Mr. Cole wherever he goes. Mr. Cole insists upon his right to exhibit the figures. It is an excellent advertisement for both parties, but the circus man is going to get the best of it.

THIS, from the Joliet *Sun*, is sensible:

Does a newspaper man carry the mark of Cain upon his brow that he is continually having the fact of his being a newspaper man thrown into his face on any and all occasions? Outside of business hours, any other business man is conceded the privilege of forgetting his occupation. But it is not conceded to the newspaper man. He is never given the credit of being a human being or of going to any place without a goulish idea to spread everything he sees before the public. He can't appear at a social gathering without being asked by some fool, "Come to take notes?"—which makes him feel just as flat as the question sounds. Such remarks are just as vulgar and in as bad taste as it would be to ask a grocer if the groceries for the supper came from his store. There is, it is true, a class of newspaper men who, as it were, always wear their business card in their hats and who take every occasion to get into some conspicuous position and make an ostentatious show of "taking notes"—which are probably never used. But this class is a very small one and is composed either of downright fools or people who are very fresh in the business. The former should be severely snubbed, and the latter judiciously ignored.

THERE seems to be no doubt that the grasshoppers are on their way eastward. Although they are very plentiful in Kansas, and have given the people a severe fright, they do not appear to be doing a good deal of damage, as they fly away as soon as their wings are grown. In the western counties of Missouri their ravages are quite destructive, although it is not yet possible to estimate the actual amount of injury they may inflict. Next year they may be expected in full force in the eastern counties of Missouri and in Illinois.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

THE New York *Bulletin* attributes the light shipment of wheat from the West to the East, at the present time, to the fact that winter wheat, since the reports of the injury to the growing crop became prevalent, has been gathered up by the "bulls" and is held in Western markets for the advance which they think is sure to come. The abundance of money at all the money centers has enabled them to borrow freely and to carry the stock forward into summer, when they expect to reap a new harvest from their hoarded grain. The locking up of this large amount of breadstuffs has contributed largely to the stagnation of business, and thus the abundance of money, instead of promoting a rapid return to prosperity, has aided, for the time being, in obstructing it.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Gen. Custer, who is in the city, says his expedition to the Black Hills will leave Fort Lincoln June 1st, and if the miners are going into the hills in as large numbers as represented in Western papers, it will probably take the whole summer to drive out and keep out intruders.

TELEGRAPHIC

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

A BOSTON HORROR.

A Little Girl Murdered in Church.

THE LORDLY SIOUX GET ON THEIR EAR.

More about the Pennsylvania Fires.

THE GRASSHOPPERS AT KANSAS CITY.

Suicides, Accidents, and Other Cheerful Items.

NEW YORK, May 22.—At a meeting of Erie stockholders to-day, Mr. Brownell, Vice President of the stock exchange in the chair, resolutions were adopted, that if the company could not avoid paying interest on the bonds recently sold in Europe, and could not earn money to pay that interest, sound policy would require that money for that purpose should be raised by assessment on stock; that the Directors of the company be directed to open books of subscription at their office and invite the stockholders to voluntarily contribute blank dollars per share to prevent the company from going to protest, the preamble accompanying the resolutions. It appears from the report of President Jewett that the net earnings of the company fall short of its requirements by nearly $3,000,000 a year; that the funded debt has increased at the rate of at least $5,000,000 a year for the last four years, without any corresponding increase in equipment or other property of the company, and that for the last moneys borrowed in Europe, the company issued its 7 per cent. gold bonds at the rate of about 40 cents on the dollar, and in order to raise money to pay the June interest on these bonds, the company is about to hypothecate its only remaining assets, its coal lands, on terms which will inevitably involve their sacrifice at far less than their value; and, finally that adherence to this financial policy will most inevitably lead to bankruptcy.

It is rumored that a movement is on foot for a general strike of the Erie railroad employes. Inquiry at the company's depot in this city failed to confirm the rumor, but revealed the fact that the employes haxe not been paid since March.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Dan O'Leary, this morning at 1 o'clock, 32 minutes and 50 seconds, finished his 500 mile walk, making the distance in 2 hours, 28 minutes and 10 seconds less than the allotted time—156 hours. Fully 5,000 people visited the West Side Rink during the evening. A purse of $1,000 was presented the pedestrian by friends. During the walk O'Leary has made 1 mile in 7 minutes, 28 seconds; 50 miles in 9 consecutive hours, and 200 miles in less than 50 consecutive hours. He showed some signs of fatigue at the close of the walk, but he was by no means exhausted.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Seven Sioux Indians, including Red Cloud and Spotted Tail, to-day left the quarters provided them by the Commissioner at the Tremont House, and went to the Washington House. It is not known what action the Commissioner will take in the premises, but this step on the part of the Indians is considered a bold one. It is said the negotiations will not be accomplished so easily as the Governor anticipated.

TYRONE, PA., May 22.—Reports received last night stated that the fire was approaching Phillipsburg, and in order to save the town the burgess ordered the brush about the place to be set on fire. About 250 men were sent out to fight the flames at points from which danger was most feared.

Osceola is leveled to the ground, and the smoking debris is all that is left of a house. Neighboring towns are sending money and provisions to the relief of the unfortunate.

MAUCH CHUNK, PA., May 22.—A fire that has been raging in Curtin county for the past few days, has destroyed an immense amount of lumber and numerous dwelling houses and saw mills in Hickory Run and Mud Run regions. One lumberman has lost 3,000,000 feet of lumber. Men, women and children are vigorously fighting the flames day and night. Back of Weissport and Harryville the fire is rapidly spreading. The damage done to Curtin county will amount to more than $500,000.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—The horse disease made but little progress to-day, but five deaths occurred.

BOSTON, May 23.—A little girl aged 7 years was murdered this afternoon, her body being carried up in the tower and thrown in the loft. The child, accompanied by her aunt, was attending the Sunday school anniversary. On leaving the church, the aunt remained in the vestibule for a few minutes, and upon her starting home she missed the child, who had been standing by her side only a few minutes previous. Search was instantly made but in vain. About 4 o'clock cries were heard in the church tower, and on examining the tower the mangled body of the child was found near the scuttle, indicating that it had been carried up stairs and hastily thrown down, as her skull was found to be broken and her face terribly mangled.

Thomas Piper, sexton of the church, has been arrested on unmistakable evidence of his guilt. It has not been learned why or how she was enticed away.

ST. LOUIS, May 22.—The *Republican's* Kansas City special says the grasshoppers have penetrated the heart of the city, and are moving as a vast army, going north. Trenches are being dug and millions are slaughtered, but nothing can stop the red-legged pests in their march. Many drive them from the ground with water from the hydrants. Their depredations are becoming very serious, lawns being stripped of grass, and garden truck being destroyed. Nothing can be raised except in greenhouses.

YANKTON, May 22.—Lieut. Armstrong arrived to-night from Fort Randall, having in charge Charles E. Solis, the captured Black Hiller who refuses to take the parole. Solis was turned over to the United States Marshal and locked up. But the United States Attorney knows of no law which authorizes him to punish the offender, and is in a quandary what to do. Solis is plucky, and proposes to sue the Government for damages. The case will be acted upon Monday.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., May 23.—Otho S. Burns, aged 16, was drowned at 3 o'clock this afternoon, in a gravel pit near the Evansville & Crawfordsville railroad. He had gone in alone, being unaware of the depth of the water, which was fifteen feet, and was unable to swim. He had a rail in his hand, but it was insufficient to support his weight, and he sank and rose more than a dozen times. Another young man ran to him, but could not swim himself, and could not save him. Burns was book-keeper at his uncle's store. His parents live at Vermillion on the Vandalia line.

The infant of Jacob May was strangled last night, by a cat, in bed. Its mother awoke and found a cat in the room, and said to her husband to drive it out; but he supposed she was talking in a dream, and went to sleep; so that this morning it was found with the cat on its face, and strangled until it was black.

Yesterday evening, Capt. Bailey, of Paris, Ill., took a half ounce of laudanum, with the intention of committing suicide. He was given strong emetics but with no effect. All the doctors in town brought out their stomach-pumps, but could do no good; and the man is, now, probably, dead. When asked why he did it, he replied, "None of your d—d business." He was a tanner by trade, and had a family.

LEXINGTON, KY., May 23.—A fire of some magnitude broke out here about two o'clock this morning in the livery stable of Davis & Adams. It spread with great rapidity, and it seemed at one time as though the whole town would be destroyed. A high wind was blowing at the time, and the flames spread rapidly, until the whole block between Short and Main streets, on Limestone street, was involved. It then took in the block on the other side of Limestone, spread along Short, and burned three houses on Main street. The fire department worked well, but as there was but one fire engine, its work was not very effective. But for the bucket brigades, half of Lexington would now be in ashes. The fire was got under control at about 6:30 o'clock. The total loss is about $100,000, and the insurance about $35,000.

QUINCY, May 22.—A few weeks ago a Mrs. Dr. Ingham and Dr. Smith, pretending to be cancer doctors were arrested on charge of procuring an abortion, a fœtus having been found in the vault on their premises. A young man passed at the same time as the party who procured the commission of the crime, but was released on turning State's evidence. The case was concluded to-day. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and sentenced each to eight years in the Penitentiary. The statute limits the punishment to 10 years.

Hall, who was so terribly beaten by the garroters, is slowly improving, and, contrary to first expectations, will get well. He has, however, not sufficiently recovered to give an account of the affair.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA., May 22.—From advices received here from a large number of principal towns in this State, the agent of the Associated Press is able to state, authoritatively, that there are no ravages in this State by grasshoppers, nor is any danger anticipated. The crops were never in better condition, or the prospect for an immense yield more auspicious. The dispatch sent from this city that the grasshoppers were devouring the crops is wholly devoid of the fact.

Grand Excursion.—$3.00 from Decatur and four days to return. Half rates at hotels. Leaves Decatur 12:30 p. m., Tuesday, June 1st, 1875. [21-d9t w1t

New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE of an order and decree of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, John E. Kinney, administrator of the estate of Daniel Gahman, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of the said deceased, at the April term of said court, to-wit: on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1875, I shall, on the

24th DAY OF JUNE NEXT,

between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate situate in said county and state, described as follows, to-wit: Lots seven (7) and eight (8), in block three (3), in Reed & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, excepting fifty (50) feet off of the north end thereof; also, lot one (1), in block six (6), in Durfee & King's Addition to the city of Decatur.

Said sale will be made on the following terms, to-wit: One-third cash down; one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months from date of sale, deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and be secured by notes with approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold.

Dated May 22, A. D. 1875.
JOHN E. KINNEY,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Gahman, deceased. [24-d4w

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For terms inquire on the premises.
RICHARD COSTALLO.
April 19, 1875—d&w3m*

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Uriah Hinson, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on MONDAY, the 21st day June, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

SOLOMON D. HINSON,
April 22, 1875-w6w Administrator.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Henry Price, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday the 21st day of June, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THOMAS M. PRICE, Executor.
Decatur, May 6, 1875—w6w

CASH STORE

OUR NEW SPRING STOCK

Is in, and a more elegant variety of

DRY GOODS

Was never before

EXHIBITED IN DECATUR!

Our House is full from cellar to garret, comprising not only all kinds of Domestic Goods, but all the Novelties of the season.

Our prices are, as usual, LOWER THAN ANY ONE ELSE.

HAYS & BRUCE.

April 28, 1875-dawtf.

NEW SPRING GOODS!

S. EINSTEIN

Has returned with new

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

Of the very latest styles. He has taken especial pains in selecting his stock of Spring Goods, consisting of

DRESS GOODS,
BLACK ALPACAS,
PLAIN AND COLORED SILKS,
(All shades.)

—New shade of—
LUSTERS!
Also, a full line of
TRIMMING SILKS.

Our stock of WHITE GOODS, MARSEILLES, PERCALES, cannot be surpassed in any market. We also have a full line of Notions; latest styles of Ladies' and Gents' TIES, RUCHES, RIBBONS, in plaid, plain and embroidered.

A complete line of HOSIERY for Ladies and Gents.

A full line of CORSETS, from 50c up.

☞ He invites all to call and examine his Stock. He will offer extra inducements for the next Thirty Days, in all Departments. By calling, you will see he is determined not to be undersold.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:

No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.

March 29, 1875—dawtf.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES, PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

OLD STAND OF DANIEL GAHMAN,
Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order, PONY PHÆTONS, PRINCE ALBERTS PIANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of

Sleighs Made to Order!

☞ FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY. ☜

November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

SPECIAL.

A. A. COOPER

—IS OFFERING—

New Spring Goods!

VERY CHEAP.

His stock of Bleached and Brown Sheetings and Shirtings, Prints, Table Linens, (Turkey, Damask and Napkins to match), Crashes, Tickings, Denims, Ducks, Drills, Shirting, Checks and Cheviots, Ginghams, and Dress Goods of all kinds.

LOOK AT OUR SIXTY CENT FRENCH CORSET!

A FULL LINE OF
ALL KINDS OF NOTIONS.

The motto of this House is:—"THE LOWEST PRICES IN THE MARKET FOR THE QUALITY." Call and see if this is not true.

NO. 24 MERCHANT STREET.

March 11, 1875-13m wtf

The Daily Republica[n]
DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday Evening, May 2[4]

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TO DAILY SUBSCRIBE[RS]

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY RE[PUB]LICAN will be collected every Saturd[ay] the places where the paper is delivere[d un]less otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if ou[r sub]scribers would inform the carrier at [...] particular place they desire their pap[er to] be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Yesterday was Trinity Sunday

..Nothing in the police courts t[o-day].

..For fresh vegetables and c[...] fruits, go to Imboden & Co.'s.

..Straw hats are the most fashi[onable] just now.

..All old-time loafers hunt the [shady] side of buildings now-a-days.

..All kinds of pastry baked [every] day by B. F. Stephens.

..It is somewhat hot and sultry [...] It is rather uncommon to see the [...] dry in half a day after so hard a r[ain as] we had yesterday.

..Best sugar-cured breakfast [bacon] at Niedermyer's.

..The members of the high [school] graduating class are hard at wo[rk im]proving their essays, which will [be de]livered at the opera house on [...] week.

..Get your perfumeries and [hair] dressing at W. C. Armstrong'[s. He] keeps the best.

..Many of the denizens of th[e lower] part of the city are talking serio[usly of] suing the city for the damage d[one] them by the water backing up in[to their] wells, cisterns and cellars.

..All the approved brands o[f] pens, at I. J. Davis & Co.'s.

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..Go in and see Curtis & [...] new stock. They sell ever[ything in] their line cheap. Best spe[...] use.

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..The workmen employed [at ...] & Co.'s marble works have ju[st finished] a handsome arched monumen[t for Mr.] Fagan, of Springfield, which [is of Ital]ian marble, finished off in [fine] style. It contains about twe[nty inscrip]tions,—Mr. Fagan, his wife, a[nd] his children, who have long [...] It is about twelve feet in heig[ht, and cost] $800. The job shows work[manship of] which any first-class shop [might] feel proud.

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A Large lot of Paras[ols just re]ceived, at S[...]
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ON TUESDAY, JUNE [...]

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Rev. Dr. Bulkley at the Baptist Church.—As indicated in our issue of Saturday, the pulpit of the Baptist church was filled yesterday morning by Rev. Dr. Bulkley, of Alton. In the evening no service was held on account of the threatening state of the weather.

The morning sermon was from words written in Phillipians, second chapter, 9th, 10th and 11th verses. The speaker first explained what he understood to be meant by the words in the text. "At the name of Jesus every knee shall bow," and also what he understood to be indicated by the words, "Of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth." The observations upon these points were eminently sensible, and were given in a highly interesting and entertaining manner.

The next point dwelt upon, and which was really the prominent thought in the sermon, was the exaltation of Christ, as set forth in the text. In the consideration of this part of the subject, the speaker indicated in what the exaltation consisted, and proceeded to say that Christ in his present relation to mankind could meet every human want.—These he designated as being five in number, and showed how the gospel under Christ is adapted to meet them all.

It would be impossible to give a synopsis of the discourse that would properly indicate its real merit We can only say that it was able, prabtical, and eminently instructive.

We understand that Dr. Bulkley has engaged to fill the pulpit again next Sabbath in case Mr. Bonham does not return.

Masonic.—There will be a special convocation of Macon Chapter No 21, R. A M., to-morrow, (Tuesday) evening, at 7½ o'clock sharp. Work in the W. M. Degree. Visiting companions in good standing cordially invited
By order, A. A. MURRAY,
2d M. E. H. P.

Call at S Einstein's for the best two-button Kid Gloves 24-d1w

Notice—H. B. Durfee will leave for Texas on Tuesday, 25th inst. for the purpose of locating *Texas Land Warrants.*—He will give his personal attention to the selection of lands, and the survey of the same. Those having purchased and those desiring to purchase good lands at 35 *cents an acre* will please call at once and arrange with Mr. Durfee about locating the same.
WARREN & DURFEE,
Agents for the sale of Texas lands and warrants.

A Perilous Fall.—Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Hubbard Dill, living south-east of town, fell from the top to the bottom of her chamber stairs, hitting against the stove, cutting her face and head quite seriously, besides jarring her badly all over. It was thought at first that her injuries were of a serious character, and a messenger was despatched with all possible haste for Dr. Walston, who repaired to the scene of the accident as soon as practicable. Upon his arrival an examination of the cuts and abrasions disclosed the fact that no bones were broken, and the injuries, though somewhat painful, are thought not to be serious. The wonder is that the lady escaped from such a fall with her life. The accident was occasioned by a tack in the heel of her slipper catching in the carpet at the top of the stairs.

Mrs. F. W. Lander to-morrow evening, at the opera house. "Enough said"

Dr. Davies To-Night.—We bespeak for this gentleman a full house at his temperance lecture to-night at the court house Knowing him to be a man of decided ability, we confident feel in saying that his lecture will interest all who hear it, whether they be friends or opponents of the temperance movement.

For a handsome Linen Suit, call at S. Einstein's. 24 d1w

Work Commenced.—This morning the work of tearing away the fences, etc., for the erection of the new St. Nicholas livery stable was commenced. A large part of the lumber and building material to be used in its construction has already been shaped, and hence the work can soon be completed This stable, when finished, will be the finest in the city.

A Lively Horse Race took place at the Fair Grounds on Saturday afternoon. Although it had not been advertised, a large crowd repaired to the grounds to witness the races and lose or win money at betting. Only two entries were made—Wm. C. Dunnivan's gray "Buck-kneed Bill," and a bay filly belonging to Newton Bircham At the start the gray showed himself to be the best runner.—He made long reaches, gathered himself quickly, and kept the lead of the filly all the way around, coming in, almost distancing his competitor.

Bircham stoutly maintains that his filly was sick, and hence could not do her best. This morning he arranged with Mr. Dunnivan for another race, to take place at the Fair Grounds, "two weeks from to-day—rain or shine." The purse for the winning horse is $20.

Lace Shawls.—We have just received a large lot of Lace Shawls on consignment, which we offer cheaper than ever sold in Decatur.
24-d1w S. EINSTEIN.

Boarding House.—The undersigned has taken possession of the house, at the corner of William and Church streets, known as the Trowbridge property, where she will keep a first-class boarding house, and accommodate guests by the day, week or meal, at reasonable rates.
may6-d3m MRS. C. W. WILLIAMS.

THE STORM OF YESTERDAY.

A Regular Deluge—Heavy Thunder—Antics of the Wind and Lightning.

At about three o'clock yesterday afternoon, a black cloud arose in the west, which was thoroughly charged with electricity, and as the sequel proved, was more than moderately moist, and as it moved eastward poured its contents of flame and flood upon the city. When the cloud first struck the town it might have been called a smart shower, but in a few moments the storm increased in fury, the cloud seeming to burst, and there was poured out such a torrent of hail and rain as is seldom seem. In less time than it takes to describe it the streets were flooded, and in some localities a light draft wherry would have floated in the highways. The hail-stones, many of which were as large as hickory nuts, cut the foliage upon the trees so that it fell, as after a heavy frost in autumn. Accompanying the rain and hail, and adding to their fury was a tremendous gale of wind, which blew down trees, leveled fences, and made everything tremble that stood in its way. So powerful was the wind that it lifted a large number of boards in the lumber yard of Mr. H. E Foster, on Mason street, and carried them into the highway.—Plank, boards, and other building material lying loose at the new bagging factory, were scattered about promiscuously. But the wind and water were not alone in the work of destruction. A thunderbolt struck the new building of Mr. Thatcher, going up on North Water st. at the head of Mason, cracking the wall near the southeast corner, and shivering two of the window frames in the second story, so that they will have to be replaced by others. The lightning, stroke shocked some persons in the immediate vicinity, rendering some of them nearly senseless for a few moments, but luckily no person was seriously injured. As the result of the flood a large number of cellars are full of water, and the pumping business is lively to-day.

In the building in which Mrs. Patterson (formerly Mrs. Dunning) has, her millinery rooms, a window in the third story was left open, and the room over Mrs. Patterson's was completely flooded. Of course the water leaked through the floor into the room below, badly damaging the stock of millinery goods.

The probability is that bridges and culverts in this vicinity are more or less damaged, but to what extent is not known at this writing.

A stream of water passing to the east of Mueller's gunsmith shop, tore away part of the brick foundation under the sidewalk, and brought down loads of dirt. The foundation is, for the most part, entirely worthless, and will have to built anew. The accident entails a loss of $150 or $200.

In the west part of the city a little culvert which drains a large section of the city was overflowing for several hours, flooding all the low ground in its vicinity. At one time the water was three feet in depth in the alley between Prairie and Water streets. Considerable split-wood was carried away, and sidewalks were taken up and carried—in some in-stances 100 ft. out of their place.

Gardens were destroyed, cellars flooded, and many delicious preserves and canned fruits made worthless. More than one of the denizens of this locality were seen out paddling around on impromptu rafts in search of missing articles. One far-seeing young man opened up his stable doors and had his stalls cleaned as Hercules did the Augean stables.

The want of a more perfect drainage is never more keenly felt than just after such a flood. If the culverts and gulleys in the west part of the city are not soon seen after by the city council, we predict it will not be long before petitions are numerously circulated and signed.

BRIDGE BROKEN DOWN.

During the progress of the storm the south abutment of the iron wagon bridge near the Saint Louis railroad was entirely swept away, and that end of the bridge settled down to the water. It is thought that the iron work of the structure is so bent and warped that it will be difficult to raise it, and if it can be done at all the expense of repairs cannot be less than three thousand dollars.

We understand, also, that the culvert in the road near Wykoff's slaughter-house is washed away, so that travel on that road will have to be suspended until it is repaired

AMOUNT OF RAIN FALL.

The following figures furnished us by Dr. J. Stebbins King, shows the total of the rain fall during yesterday:

Rain fall from	3 to 3 30 a. m.,	.18 in
" "	3.24 to 3.55 p. m.,	2.08 "
" "	4:05 to 5 30 "	1.94 "
" "	7:25 to 10:10 "	.49 "
Total rain fall for the day,		4.60 "

Circuit Court commenced this afternoon at 1 o'clock, Judge C. B. Smith, presiding. Upon a call of petit jurors only ten answered to their names. The list will be completed this afternoon and published to-morrow. The trial of James and Trusten Adams, for the murder of John Staupp, is set for to-morrow morning.

Bargains for Thirty Days, at Litsinber & Sutton's. Chromos and all kinds of pictures, baskets, and many fancy goods at cost. Picture frames, brackets, albums, &c., at greatly reduced prices.—Object to reduce our stock before the season of dust and flies. No. 17 East Main street. 19-dawtf

MARRIED.

On Thursday, May 20th, by Rev. N. M. Baker, MR. WILLIAM L. RIBER and MISS LOUVENIA C. FOLEY.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Elder J. V. Beekman, of Maroa, is in town to-day.

Mr. O. McKenzie left to-day for Mt. Pulaski, with a stock of goods for C. J. Kern.

Rev. Fred. H. Wines, Secretary of the State Board of Public Charities, spent Sabbath in the city, as the guest of Rev. F. N. Ewing.

Among the guests registered at the St. Nicholas Hotel yesterday are the following: [illegible] Schmook, Louisville; S. S. Gould, St. Louis; J. R. Smythe, do; T. L. Carrow, Chicago; Jas. A. Corbin, Cairo; Wm. H. Montgomery, city, E. S. Webb, Philadelphia; Jas. F. Ballard, Indianapolis; W. C. Wilkinson, St. Louis; W. W. Myers, Rochester, N. Y.; J. J. Williams, Chicago; F. W. Sheldon, do; R. Fischer, Bement; S. E. Smith, Cincinnati; Geo. Truscott, Charleston; S. B. Munson, Chicago; J. L. Reese, do; W. T. Dillehunt, county; T. O. Miller, Burlinton, Ia.; C. Strohl, Indianapolis; H. Hall, Philadelphia; S. P. Chesney, Jacksonville; A. Murphy, city; S. F. Pike, Sullivan; A. Jones, Pana; R. Richardson, Cleveland; O. J. Carpenter, Chicago.

Only $3.00 to Louis and four days to return, Tuesday, June 1st, 12:30 p. m., T., W.& W. [21-d9t w1t

Every Seven Years, physiologists say, the human body is entirely changed and renewed. Every moment of our lives, every part of our bodies is wearing out and being built up anew of fresh matter. This work is accomplished by the blood which goes through every part.—But if the blood becomes weak or vitiated, and does not perform its work properly, the system is actually poisoned by the worn out matter clogging the vital organs instead of leaving the body. For dyspepsia, biliousness, kidney, skin and liver troubles, fevers, and all diseases arising from vitiated blood, DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS are a sovereign remedy [23-d&w1m

V. Barber & Co. have received a full assortment of summer goods in the line of boots and shoes and are prepared to serve their customers with all styles and sizes at the lowest prices known in the market. Call and examine their stock and be satisfied.

NEW SPRING STYLES
—OF—
MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS
ALSO,
MADAME FOY'S CORSET,
THE JACQUELINE CORSET,
—AND—
A Job Lot of Corsets,
☞ VERY CHEAP, at
Apr 17-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS

ST. LOUIS, May 22.—Judge Wickham, of the Circuit Court, on the petition of the counsel of Mayor Britton, granted a temporary injunction this afternoon, restraining the City Register from delivering to the City Council the ballot boxes used at the late election for Mayor. Argument will be heard before a full bench next week.

THANKS, "FROM THE DEPTHS OF THE HEART."

WELLINGTON, Lorain co., Ohio,
August 24, 1874.

R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dear Sir—Your medicines, Golden Medical Discovery, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, have proved of the greatest service to me. Six months ago no one thought that I could possibly live long. I had a complication of diseases,—scrofula, manifesting itself in eruptions and great blotches on my head, that made such sores that I could not have my hair combed without causing me much suffering; also causing swollen glands, tonsils enlarged, enlarged or "thick neck," and large and numerous boils. I also suffered from a terrible chronic catarrh, and in fact I was so diseased that life was a burden to me. I had tried many doctors with no benefit. I finally procured one-half dozen bottles of your Golden Medical Discovery and one dozen Sage's Catarrh Remedy and commenced their use. At first I was badly discouraged, but after taking four bottles of the Discovery I began to improve, and when I had taken the remaining I was *well*. In addition to the use of Discovery I applied a solution of iodine to the goitre or thick neck, as you advise in pamphlet wrapping, and it entirely disappeared. Your Discovery is certainly the most wonderful blood medicine ever invented. I thank God and you from the depths of my heart, for the great good it has done me.

Very gratefully,
MRS L. CHAFFEE.

Most medicines which are advertised as blood purifiers and liver medicines contain either mercury, in some form, or potassium and iodine variously combined. All of these agents have strong tendency to break down the blood corpuscles, and debilitate and otherwise permanently injure the human system, and should therefore be discarded. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, on the other hand, being composed of the fluid extracts of native plants, barks and roots, will in no case produce injury, its effects being strengthening and curative only. Sarsaparilla, which used to enjoy quite a reputation as a blood purifier, is a remedy of thirty years age, and may well give place as it is doing, to the more positive and valuable vegetable alteratives which later medical investigation and discovery have brought to light. In Scrofula or King's Evil, White Swellings, Ulcers, Erysipelas, Swelled Neck, Goitre, Scrofulous Inflammations, Indolent Inflammation, Mercurial Affections, Old Sores, Eruptions of the Skin and Sore Eyes, as in all other blood diseases, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has shown its great remedial powers, curing the most obstinate and intractable cases.—Sold by all dealers in medicines.
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Great Popularity.—Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and True Flavoring Extracts, Nectarine, Rose, Lemon, etc., have been before the public many years, and have gained for themselves, on their own merits, an extensive sale. Their great popularity is mainly due to the scrupulous manner in which they are prepared, the using of the purest and best materials, with special reference to their healthfulness. We never tire of using them, for they are always the same. Articles in which they are used have no disagreeable odor or sickly taste, but are always enjoyable. dawlw

Just Received!—A car load of Furniture—all new. Also, a fine stock of Winkow Shades, Fringes, Picture Cords, etc. Bottom prices. At ASHBY'S,
may 20-dtf Opera Block.

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18-etd

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May 17-d1m ELIZABETH READ.

For Rent.—Part of first and third floors, No. 26 Merchant street. [10-dtf

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Cauliflower per head	20@35
New Potatoes per peck	1.00
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Chickens, per dozen	3 00
Lettuce, per bunch	5
Beans, " peck	[illegible]
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	60
Apples, per bushel	2.00
Potatoes, " "	1 10
New Cabbage, per head	[illegible]
Cider, per gallon	50
Vinegar, " "	40
Eggs, " dozen	15
Butter, packed, per pound	25
" fresh, " "	30

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, May 24, 1875.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ .90
" White "	90
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	3.50
" red "	3.00
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings,	1.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	.85
RYE—℔ bushel	.80
CORN—℔ bushel	[illegible]
" shelled, per bush	65
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	15,00
OATS—℔ bushel	55
BUCKWHEAT—℔ bushel	80
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1,60@1.75
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	3,00
CLOVER SEED— "	7,00
BLUE GRASS— "	2,00
ORCHARD GRASS, "	3 00
REDTOP—	2,50
HUNGARIAN	1 50
BEANS—℔ bushel	2,50
BUTTER—℔ lb	20@25
EGGS—per doz.	10
LARD—℔ lb	13
BACON—Sides	10@12
HAMS—sugar-cured	11
SHOULDERS—per lb	8@10
HOGS—Live, per hundred	6,00
CATTLE— " " "	3,25@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	3,70@4,00
" " " " sheared	
POTATOES—per bu	1 25
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	12½
APPLES— " "	10
" Green ℔ bu	1.50
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ lb	.06
" Salted cured	.7½
" Calf	.10
" Dry salt	12
" Dry Flint	13
SHEEP PELTS—	40@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ lb	.53@.55
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April 13-d3m

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned Executor of the estate of Samuel Newell, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of May, A. D., 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.
R. A. NEWELL,
Decatur Apr 9-d6w Executor.

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This 1st day of April, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Sheriff Macon county.

Apr 1 2 3d

Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF UNITED STATES, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS } ss.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of William B. Blinton of the county of Douglas, State of Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERRIWEATHER,
April 2, 1875 d w. Assignee &c.

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February 5, 1875 w1y d6w

Assignee's Sale

LANDS

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of John Hamsher and Perry Drake, Bankrupts—In Bankruptcy.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of an order made by Hon. Samuel H. Treat, Judge &c., the undersigned will sell at public sale, on

MONDAY, MAY 10th, 1875,

(if not sooner sold at private sale), the following described real estate, situated in Macon county, Illinois, to wit: The north east quarter of section twenty four (24), and the south east quarter of the southwest quarter of said section twenty four in township fifteen (15) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, containing in all two hundred acres, also, the west half of the northwest quarter of section nineteen (19), in township fifteen (15) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, estimated to contain about sixty-five acres, situated in Moultrie county, Illinois.

Terms of sale as prescribed by said order: for the east half of said northeast qr. of said section twenty-four (the same to be sold subject to existing liens thereon), the terms are cash. For the remainder of said lands, one half cash, balance on the first day of January, 1876, deferred payments to bear six per cent. interest per annum and to be secured by mortgage on the land sold.

Sale to take place at the west door of the Court house, in Decatur, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said 10th day of May.

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REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Abraham W. Conklin, administrator of the estate of William F. Wheeler, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased at the April term, A. D. 1875 of said court, to wit: on the 26th day of April, 1875, I shall on the

FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale at the west door of the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-five (35) in township seventeen (17) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois. The south half of the south half of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter will be sold subject to the dower of Nettie Wheeler, widow of said William F. Wheeler, deceased, therein. Said sale will be made on the following terms, to wit:

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ABRAHAM W. CONKLIN,
Administrator of the estate of William F. Wheeler, deceased.

Dated the 1st day of May, A. D. 1875.

May 3—d4w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered to the clerk of the Circuit Court of Tazewell county, Illinois, in favor of B. S. Fletcyman and against The Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad Company, I have levied upon the following described property, being so much of the Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad as lies within the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit: The roadbed of said Railroad, together with the ties, bridges and iron rails thereon and all depot buildings, tenements, side tracks, switches and other appurtenances thereto pertaining or in any way composing any part of the said Railroad now lying within the above described limits, taken as property of the said Pekin, Lincoln & Decatur Railroad Company, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Macon county, in said State, on 25th day of May, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 8th day of May, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Sheriff Macon County.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO EXECUTIONS TO me directed and delivered, to wit: one by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Charles Knappele and Charles Ehlerman, partners under the firm name and style of Charles Knappele & Co., and one by the clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Barbara Schoenle and both against Michael K. Carroll, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot four (4), in block three (3), in Henry Prather's addition to Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Michael K. Carroll, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1875, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

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